

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 218
By Beavers

A RESOLUTION to honor and recognize Chris Hampton, 2005
Valedictorian of Clay County High School.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this General Assembly should pause to pay tribute to those students who through their natural talents and unflagging commitment to academic excellence have distinguished themselves in the classroom; and

WHEREAS, Chris Hampton is one such exceptional student who was recently named Valedictorian of the 2005 graduating class at Clay County High School; and

WHEREAS, through diligent study, steady composure during examinations, and steadfast commitment of time and talent, Chris has achieved outstanding academic success, and has joined the ranks of the best and brightest students in Tennessee and our country; and

WHEREAS, in his remarkable high school career, Mr. Hampton has earned an exemplary grade point average while holding memberships in the Beta Club, 4-H, the Student Council, and the Future Farmers of America (FFA) and participating in numerous community service activities with the local 4-H chapter and the FFA; and

WHEREAS, Chris Hampton's display of intellectual aptitude and ambition surely bodes well for his future success; he plans to attend Tennessee Tech University in the fall; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Hampton's noteworthy achievement is a tremendous source of pride for his parents, Charles and Sue Hampton, his two sisters, his school, and his community; and

WHEREAS, Chris Hampton's dedication to excellence is clearly deserving of the respect, admiration, and commendation of this legislative body; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED FOURTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING, that we hereby commend and honor 2005 Clay County High School Valedictorian Chris Hampton on his impressive academic achievement and extend to him our best wishes for a happy, successful future.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.